SFX: SHOCK
ARE YOU PLANNING TO JUMP?
THE TOARU SERIES BLU-RAY BOX SPECIAL PRICE EDITIONS ARE GOING ON SALE TWO MONTHS IN A ROW!!
ON SALE NOW
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CHAPTER 97.5: THOUGHTFULNESS
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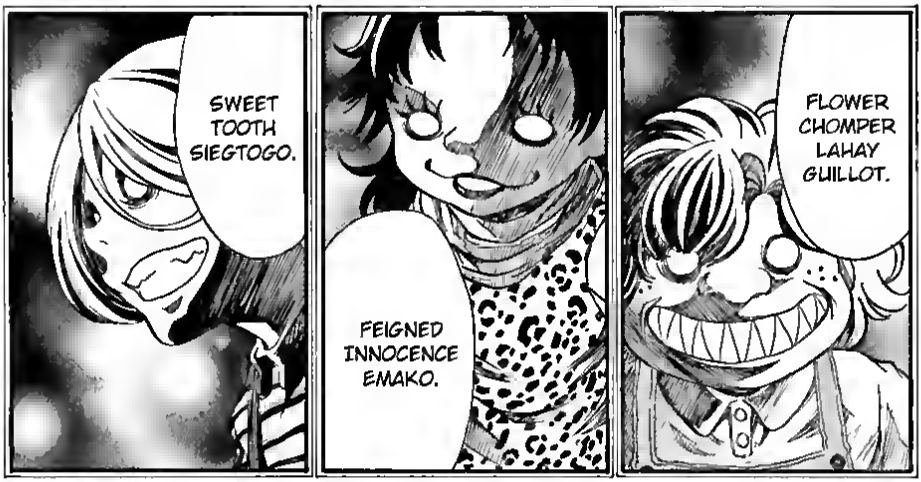
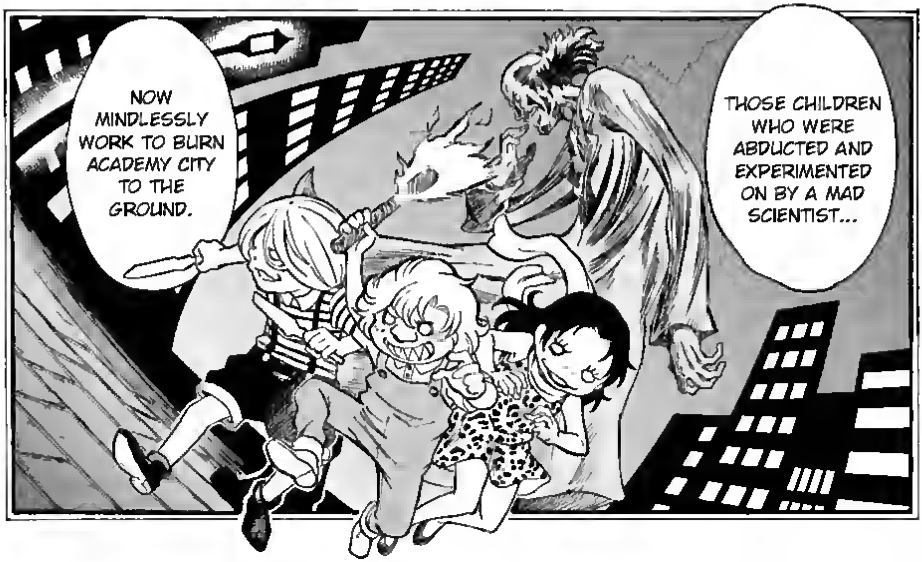
THIS ATTEMPTED SUICIDE WAS STOPPED BY... A DOGGY WITH A DANDY VOICE!?
WOULD YOU LIKE TO DISCUSS IT WITH ME?
?
?

Burn
Spee
Inhale
BUT COULD YOU MAYBE TALK WITH A STRANGE DOG?
MAYBE YOU FEEL THERE ARE NO PEOPLE YOU CAN TALK TO...
BUT YOU GROW HOOKED ON THAT BITTERNESS.
LIFE CAN BE AS BITTER AS A CIGAR.
"SO WHY NOT TRY LIVING LONG ENOUGH TO UNDERSTAND THE FLAVOR OF LIFE?"
YOU TOO WILL UNDERSTAND ONCE YOU ARE OLD ENOUGH TO SMOKE.

THAT'S WHAT HE SAID TO STOP THE BOY.
WHAT'S WITH YOU?
YOU REALLY CALLED ME OUT HERE ALL OF A SUDDEN TO VISIT URBAN LEGEND SITES?
WELL... I THOUGHT IT MIGHT BE FUN TO GO ALONG WITH THOSE ABSURD STORIES FOR ONCE.
BUT ISN'T THE TALKING GOLDEN RETRIEVER JUST A VERSION OF THE HUMAN-FACED DOG?
REALLY? I HADN'T HEARD THE LOCATION.
Oh, do you want a chocolate cigar too, Saten-san?
BY THE WAY, THE TALKING GOLDEN RETRIEVER STORY IS SAID TO HAVE HAPPENED ON THAT BUILDING'S ROOF.

Although he apparently acts too much like a dandy to call cute.
A human-faced dog is just creepy.
EH? BUT IT'S A LOT CUTER THIS WAY.
SO THIS ONLY GIVES YOU THE TALKING PART.
AND THAT WAS A TALKING DOG WITH A HUMAN FACE...

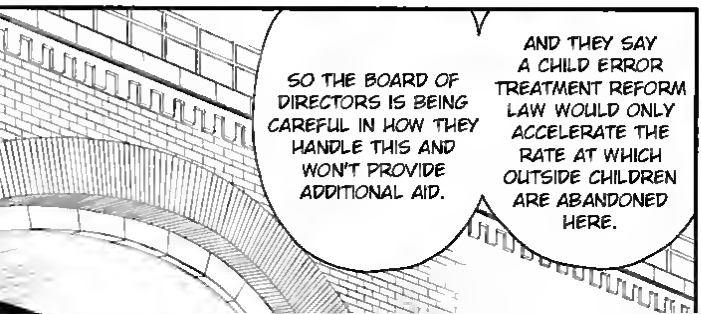

SWEET TOOTH SIEGTOGO.
FEIGNED INNOCENCE EMAKO.
FLOWER CHOMPER LAHAY GUILLOT.

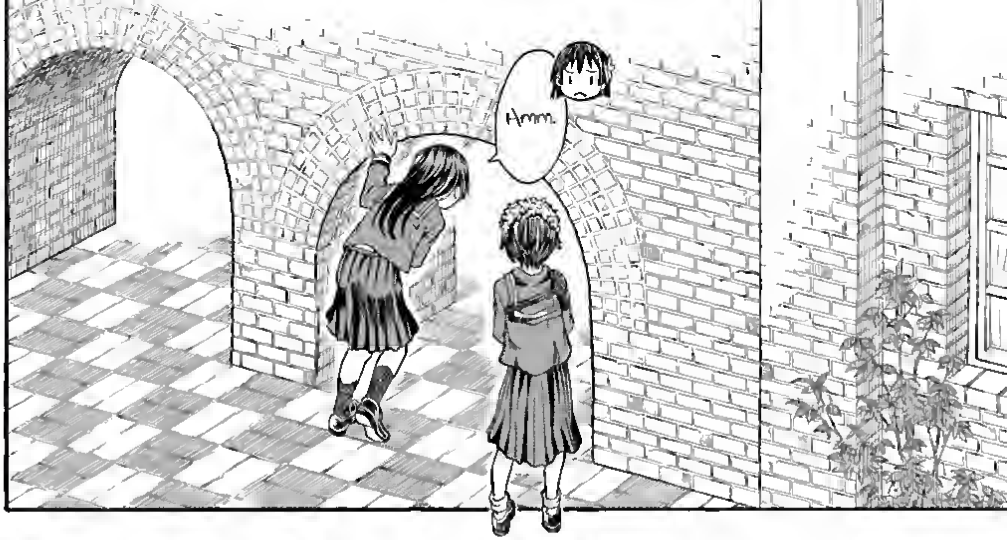

NOW MINDLESSLY WORK TO BURN ACADEMY CITY TO THE GROUND.
THOSE CHILDREN WHO WERE ABDUCTED AND EXPERIMENTED ON BY A MAD SCIENTIST...

AS THEY WANDER IN SEARCH OF CHAOS...
THAT URBAN LEGEND IS BASED ON THE RUMORS OF...
CHILD ERRORS BEING USED IN HUMAN EXPERIMENTS, ISN'T IT?

BUT THERE ARE ONLY SO MANY THEY CAN ACCEPT GIVEN THE SIZE OF THE GROUNDS.
IT SEEMS DAIGO-SENSEI WANTS TO ACCEPT MORE CHILD ERRORS...

*A CHILD ERROR WELFARE FACILITY IN DISTRICT 13.


SO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS IS BEING CAREFUL IN HOW THEY HANDLE THIS AND WON'T PROVIDE ADDITIONAL AID.
AND THEY SAY A CHILD ERROR TREATMENT REFORM LAW WOULD ONLY ACCELERATE THE RATE AT WHICH OUTSIDE CHILDREN ARE ABANDONED HERE.

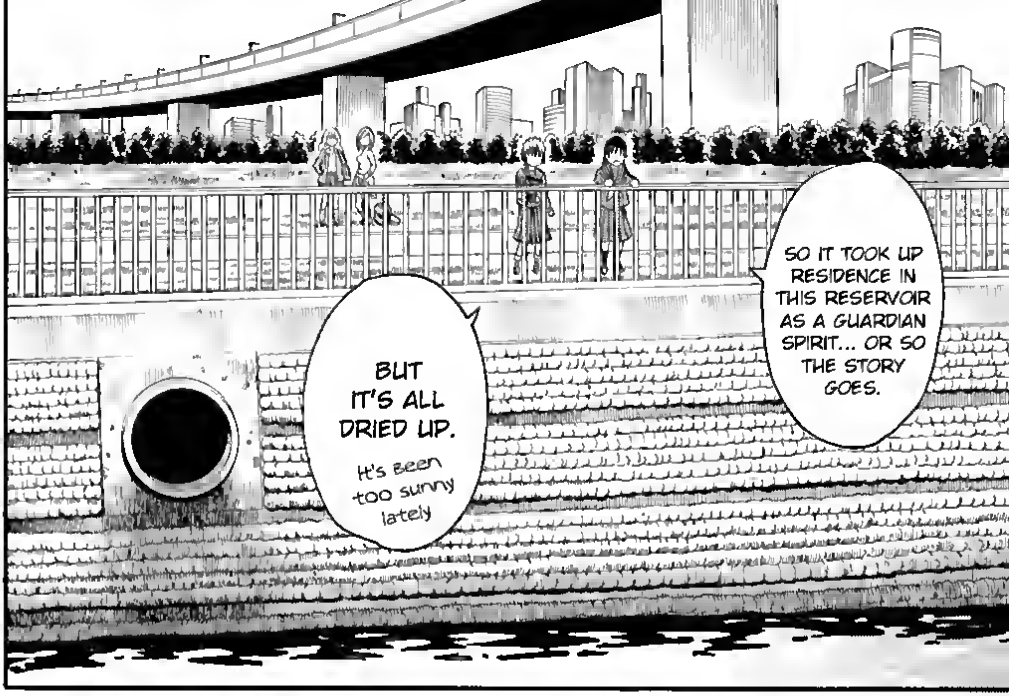

Amm.

OH, THIS ARCH HAS A STORY TOO.
IT DOES?

IF YOU WALK UNDER IT IN THE AFTERNOON, YOU WILL BREAK UP WITH YOUR LOVER IN THE NEAR FUTURE...
OR SOMETHING LIKE THAT.
HUH.

GOOD THING YOU'RE SINGLE, UIHARU.
YES. AND SAME FOR YOU, SATEN-SAN.

A WHITE PYTHON THAT ESCAPED ITS OWNER'S HOME...
SLITHERED THROUGH THE WATERWAYS AND WAS AFFECTED BY THE TOXIC WASTE SOME LAB ILLEGALLY DUMPED IN THE CITY.
AND IT MUTATED INTO A GIANT SERPENT.

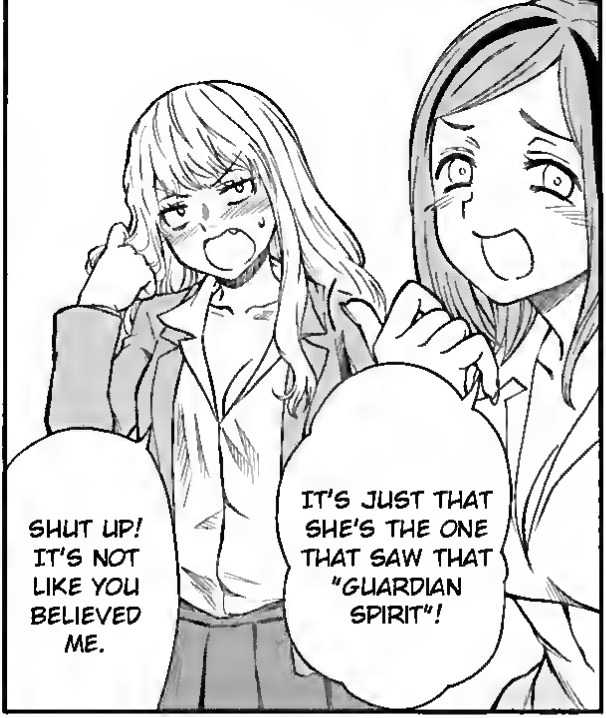

SO IT TOOK UP RESIDENCE IN THIS RESERVOIR AS A GUARDIAN SPIRIT... OR SO THE STORY GOES.
BUT IT'S ALL DRIED UP.
It's been too sunny lately

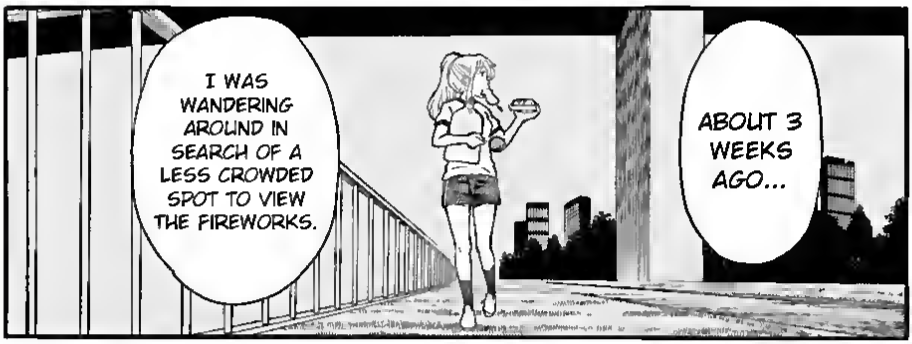
Pff
YEAH, THERE'S NOWHERE TO HIDE IN HERE.

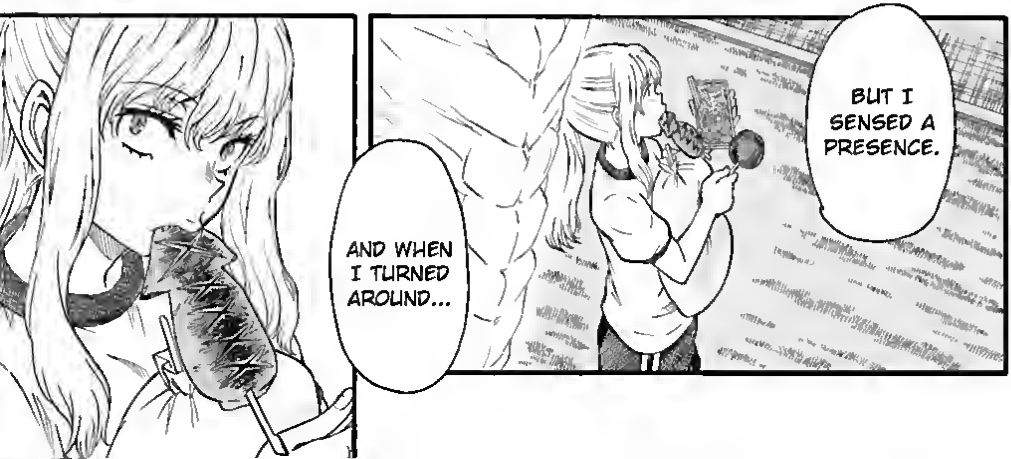
Heh heh heh heh.

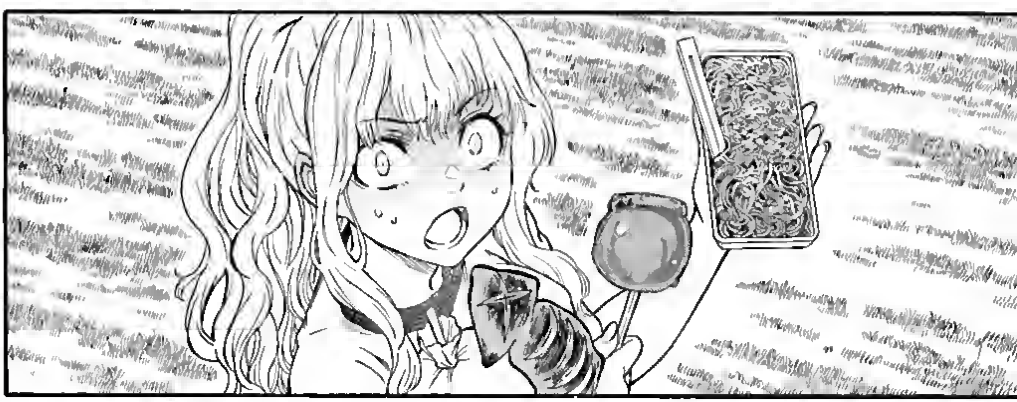
I WASN'T LAUGHING AT YOU, YOUNG LADIES!!
AHHH! SORRY, SORRY!
YES.
LET'S GO.

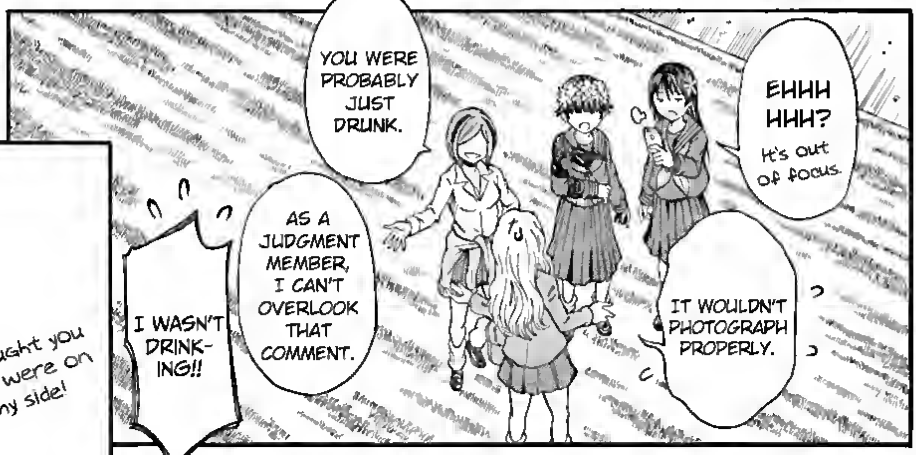
Yeah.
You saw the big snake?


SHUT UP! IT'S NOT LIKE YOU BELIEVED ME.
IT'S JUST THAT SHE'S THE ONE THAT SAW THAT "GUARDIAN SPIRIT"!

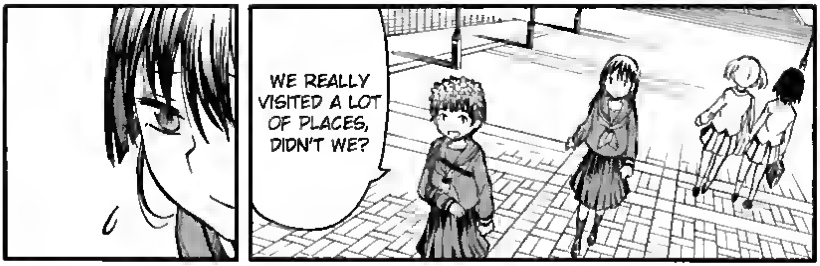

I WAS WANDERING AROUND IN SEARCH OF A LESS CROWDED SPOT TO VIEW THE FIREWORKS.
ABOUT 3 WEEKS AGO...


AND WHEN I TURNED AROUND...
BUT I SENSED A PRESENCE.



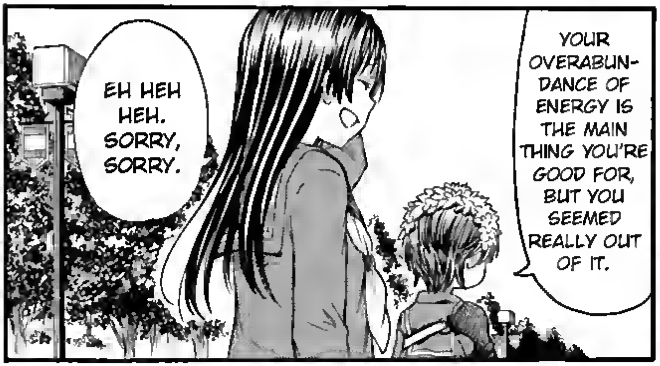

EHHH HHH?
It's out of focus.
IT WOULDN'T PHOTOGRAPH PROPERLY.
YOU WERE PROBABLY JUST DRUNK.
AS A JUDGMENT MEMBER, I CAN'T OVERLOOK THAT COMMENT.
I WASN'T DRINK-ING!!

I thought you two were on my side!


WE REALLY VISITED A LOT OF PLACES, DIDN'T WE?

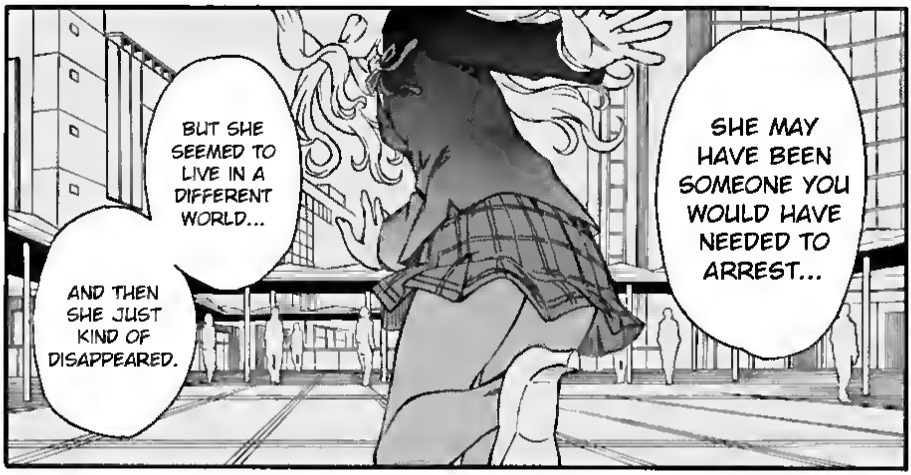
THANKS.

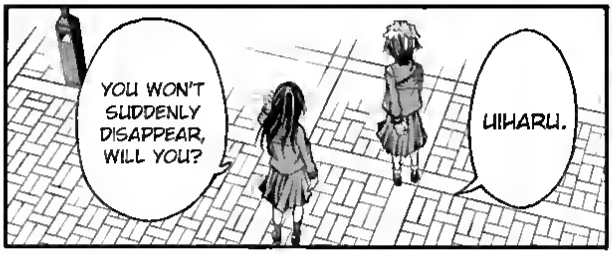
DID I LOOK THAT DEPRESSED?
I NEVER THOUGHT YOU'D TAKE ME AROUND TO DIFFERENT URBAN LEGEND SITES.

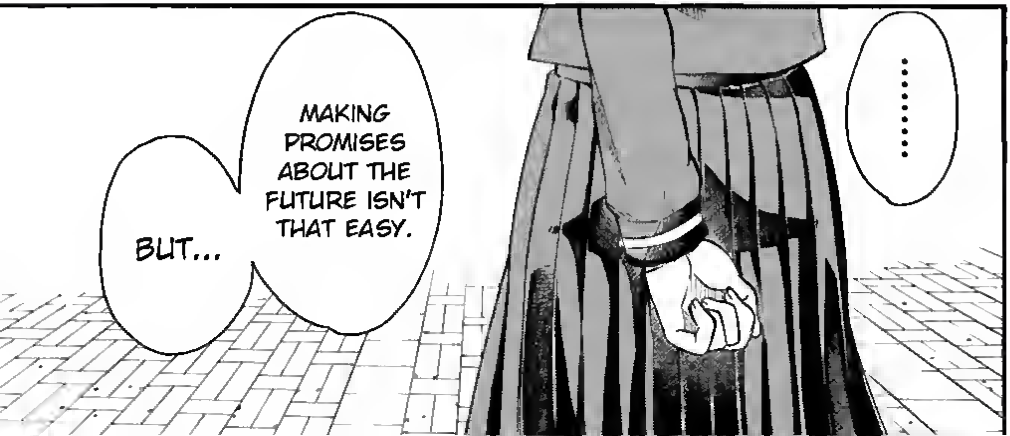

EH HEH HEH. SORRY, SORRY.
YOUR OVERABUN-DANCE OF ENERGY IS THE MAIN THING YOU'RE GOOD FOR, BUT YOU SEEMED REALLY OUT OF IT.

YOU DIDN'T JUST SEEM DEPRESSED.

THERE WAS...
SOMEONE I THOUGHT WAS MY FRIEND.


SHE MAY HAVE BEEN SOMEONE YOU WOULD HAVE NEEDED TO ARREST...
BUT SHE SEEMED TO LIVE IN A DIFFERENT WORLD...
AND THEN SHE JUST KIND OF DISAPPEARED.


UIHARU.
YOU WON'T SUDDENLY DISAPPEAR, WILL YOU?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MAKING PROMISES ABOUT THE FUTURE ISN'T THAT EASY.
BUT...

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美琴と接触する「機械の操縦（ドッペルゲンガー）」。謎多き彼女の行動の真意とは……。

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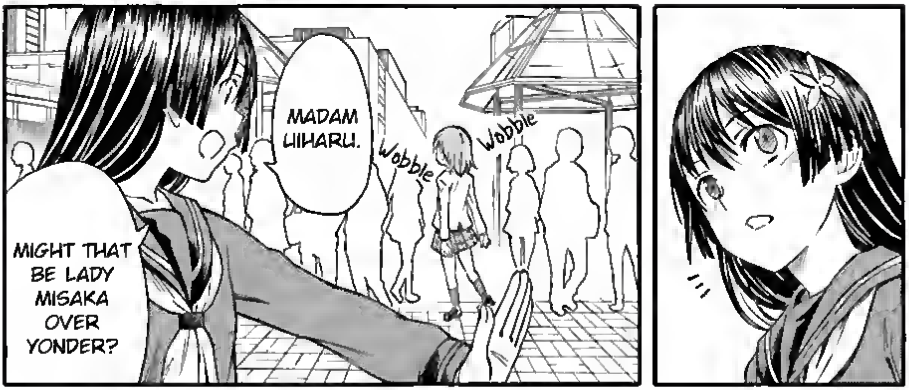
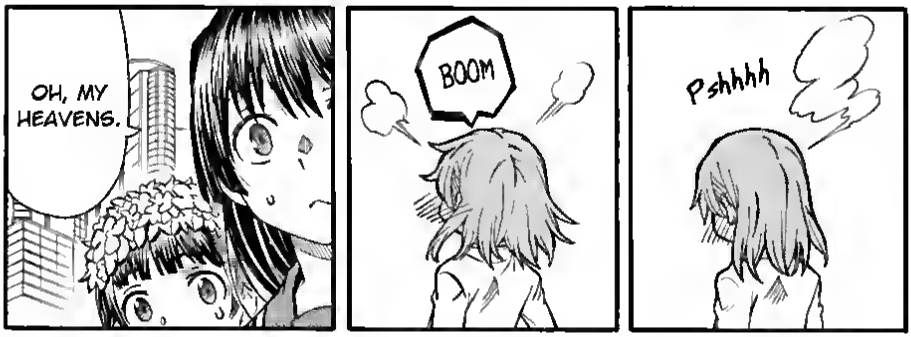
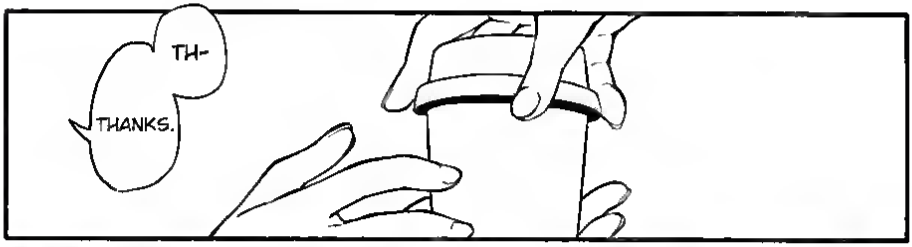

MADAM UIHARU.
Wobble
Wobble
MIGHT THAT BE LADY MISAKA OVER YONDER?


OH, MY HEAVENS.
BOOM
Pshhhh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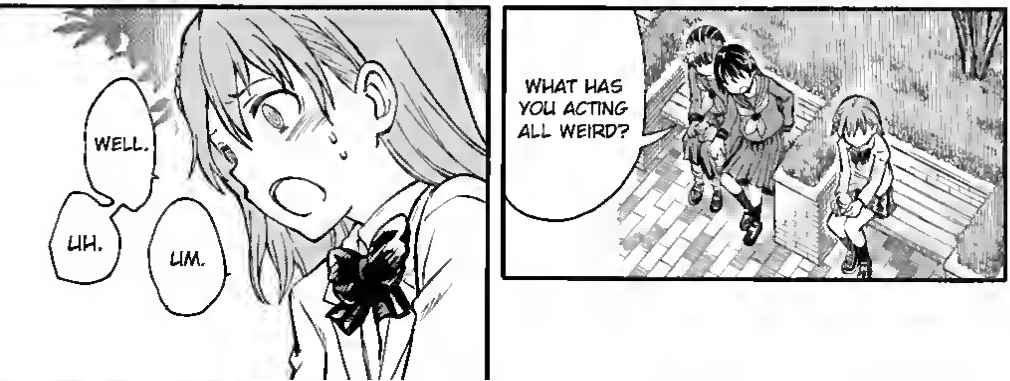
THANKS.


WELL.
UH.
UM.
WHAT HAS YOU ACTING ALL WEIRD?

HO HO? A FRIEND!? AND, AND?
SATEN-SAN SURE CHEERED UP...

I-IT'S ABOUT A FRIEND.
Ding Ding

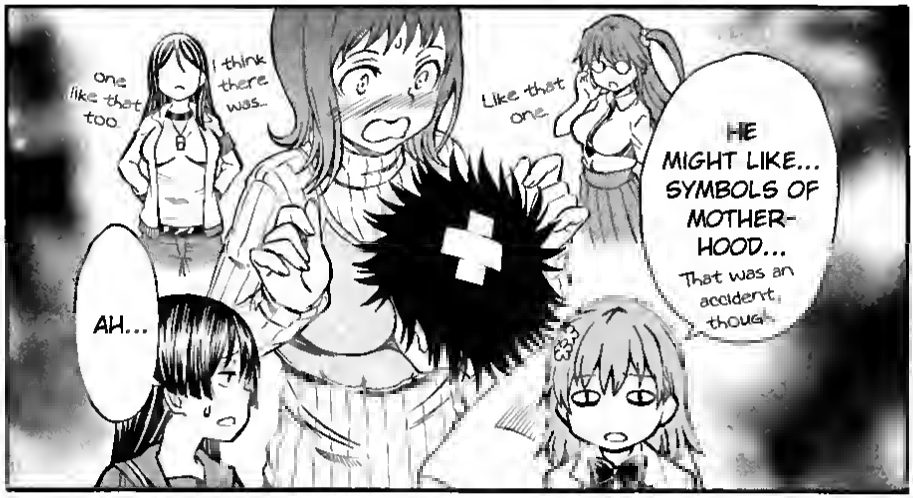
RIGHT?
SO MY FRIEND STARTED FEELING KIND OF WEIRD ABOUT HIM.
OR HOW THAT OTHER PERSON CAN SACRIFICE HIMSELF FOR OTHERS LIKE THAT.
LIKE WHY THIS OTHER PERSON IS ALWAYS MEDDLING IN PEOPLE'S AFFAIRS.
THAT FRIEND STARTED WONDERING SOME THINGS.

SHE REALIZED...
Spin Spin
SHE...
AND THEN...

FINALLY...
THIS MIGHT BE A SPECIAL KIND OF FEELING.

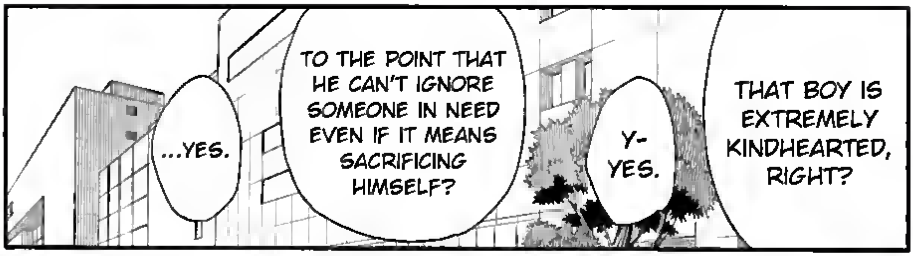
DO YOU KNOW THE TYPE YOUR FRIEND'S CRUSH LIKES?
THE TYPE...?

YOUR FRIEND!!
YOU'RE SAYING YOU WANT TO CHEER ON YOUR FRIEND'S FEELINGS!!
AH! WHAT AM I SAYING!?


one like that too
I think there was...
Like that one
HE MIGHT LIKE... SYMBOLS OF MOTHER-HOOD...
That was an accident, though
AH...

THAT'S EASY.
!?

U-UIHARU, DO YOU HAVE ANY ADVICE FOR HER "FRIEND"?
BUT NONE OF IT MAKES ANY SENSE. HOW DO THEY GET SO BIG? THERE MUST BE SOMETHING HORRIBLY WRONG WITH THE AVERAGES IN THIS CITY. WHAT DO THEY EAT TO MAKE THEM GROW THAT BIG?
MUNCH MUNCH


THAT BOY IS EXTREMELY KINDHEARTED, RIGHT?
Y-YES.
TO THE POINT THAT HE CAN'T IGNORE SOMEONE IN NEED EVEN IF IT MEANS SACRIFICING HIMSELF?
...YES.

OH, BUT SHE WOULD HAVE TO STAY IN THAT SITUATION.
ONCE HE THINKS SHE'LL BE FINE WITHOUT HIM, HE'LL JUST LEAVE.
WAH! WAH! STOP, UIHARU!
So that's the answer.
DON'T LET HER LEAD YOU ASTRAY, MISAKA-SAN!!

TWO CHAPTERS THIS MONTH!
CONTINUE ON TO THE NEXT PAGE!!

MIKI LIED ABOUT IT BEING ANNOUNCED IT WAS PART OF HIS PLAN!!!
TO GIVE US FALSE HOPE WITH AN "OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT".
WHAT ARE YOU SAYING, UIHARU!?
False hope ?
DON'T BELIEVE HER, MISAKA-SAN!!

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